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**Subject:** RE: Please see the attached language for the story map

Sure or say EPA surface water samples are being analyzed for...

Thanks Carmen

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**Sent:** Wednesday, December 04, 2019 3:35 PM  
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TCEQ just called. They had me change the first sentence of the 2<sup>nd</sup> paragraph. Are you ok with this version?

The TPC, TCEQ and EPA have conducted surface water sampling during the TPC response. The EPA surface water samples were collected from multiple locations in the 201 Canal, Star Lake Canal and the Neches River. After analyses of water sampling, the data will be shared with response partners.

EPA is analyzing the surface water samples for VOCs, semi-volatile organic compounds (SVOCs), total petroleum hydrocarbons (TPH), glycols, total organic carbons (TOC), and oil and grease (O&G). The results from the sampling event were compared to the TCEQ Surface Water Quality Standards (WQS), or to TCEQ Texas Risk Reduction Program surface water protective concentration levels (PCLs), if a WQS was not available for a chemical.

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I've rewritten TCEQ for text on story map. **We do not have approval yet.** Carmen

Current version:

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These surface water samples were analyzed for VOCs, semi-volatile organic compounds (SVOCs), total petroleum hydrocarbons (TPH), glycols, total organic carbons (TOC), and oil and grease (O&G). The results from the sampling event were compared to the TCEQ Surface Water Quality Standards (WQS), or to TCEQ Texas Risk Reduction Program surface water protective concentration levels (PCLs), if a WQS was not available for a chemical.

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**Subject:** Please see the attached language for the story map

This is based on the language from the previous story map



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